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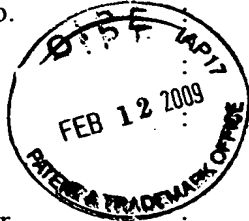
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**AMENDMENT**

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In response to the Office Action mailed on November 7, 2008 (the three-month response date for which is February 9, 2008 (since February 7th is a Saturday)), please reconsider the above-captioned application based on the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.